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for the following causes: Blindness in one eye, 1; anterior curvature of spine, 1; tuberculosis, 2; inflammation of spinal cord, 1; loss of right eye and left leg, 1.

Respectfully, yours,

FAIRFAX IRWIN,  
Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

*Medical inspection of immigrants at Galveston during March, 1899.*

Date of inspection, March 9, 1899; name of vessel, steamer *Helen Richmers*; port from which she sailed, Bremen; number of immigrants, 39; number rejected, none.

Respectfully, yours,

WILLIAM KEILLER,  
Temporary Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

*Medical inspection of immigrants at Portland, Me., during March, 1899.*

PORTLAND, ME., April 5, 1899.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of foreign vessels boarded and immigrants inspected at this port during the month of March, 1899:

Date.	Ship.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
Mar. 1	Mongolian .....	Liverpool ..	46
Do....	Kildona .....	Shields .....	0
Mar. 2	Memnon .....	Avonmouth ..	0
Mar. 4	Norwegian .....	Glasgow .....	0
Mar. 5	Castilian .....	Liverpool .....	15
Mar. 7	Lake Huron .....	Avenmouth .....	141
Mar. 9	Sheikh .....	Liverpool .....	0
Mar. 10	Georgian .....	do .....	0
Do....	Hurona .....	Shields .....	0
Mar. 14	Devona .....	do .....	0
Mar. 17	Arab .....	Liverpool .....	0
Do....	Merrimac .....	Shields .....	0
Do....	Turenian .....	Liverpool .....	0
Mar. 18	Amartian .....	Glasgow .....	0
Mar. 23	Virginian .....	Liverpool .....	0
Mar. 24	Numidian .....	do .....	14
Mar. 25	Arcadia .....	Hamburg .....	0
Mar. 26	Cervona .....	Newcastle .....	0
Mar. 28	Assyrian .....	Liverpool .....	0
Mar. 30	Peruvian .....	Glasgow .....	0
Do....	Sardinian .....	Liverpool .....	0
	Total .....		216

NOTE.—None held or rejected.

Respectfully, yours,

F. W. MEAD,  
Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

*Medical inspection of immigrants at Portland, Oreg., for March, 1899.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
Mar. 9	British steamship Lan Sang .....	Yokohama, Japan .....	a 58
Mar. 26	British steamship Monmouthshire .....	do .....	b 100
	Total .....		158

a Japanese, 58; b Japanese, 98; Europeans, 2.

All passed.

RUPERT BLUE,  
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.